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L24 15350 S L21 OR L23

L25 224 S L24 AND (HONEYBEE# OR BEE OR BEES OR APIS)

L26 19 S L25 AND (MITE OR MITES OR VARROA OR ACARAPIS)

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L19 ANSWER 1 OF 5 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS

AN 2002:675818 CAPLUS

DN 137:181110

TI Compositions for control of parasitic **mites** of honey  
**bees** and other hive pests

IN Erickson, Eric H.; Degrandi-Hoffman, Gloria; Becker, Christian G.;  
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PA The United States of America, as Represented by Secretary of Agriculture,  
USA

SO PCT Int. Appl., 42 pp.

CODEN: PIXXD2

DT Patent

LA English

FAN.CNT 1

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	US 2003044443	A1	20030306	US 2002-87161	20020227

PRAI US 2001-272097P P 20010228

RE.CNT 2 THERE ARE 2 CITED REFERENCES AVAILABLE FOR THIS RECORD

ALL CITATIONS AVAILABLE IN THE RE-FORMAT

TI Compositions for control of parasitic **mites** of honey  
**bees** and other hive pests

AB The present invention is directed to methods and compns. for use to control parasitic **mites** of honey **bees**, particularly **Varroa mites**. In one aspect, the invention is directed to control of parasitic **mites** of honey **bees** wherein the active ingredient is a miticidally effective amt. of a selected ketone  $\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_x\text{CO}(\text{CH}_2)_y\text{CH}_3$  ( $x = 0-5$ ,  $y = 0-2$ ), or 1-heptanol, Et butyrate, benzaldehyde, heptaldehyde, or d-limonene. In second aspect, the invention is directed to control of parasitic **mites** of honey **bees** wherein the active ingredient is an effective attractant amt. of 2-heptanone. The attracted **mites** are then trapped or otherwise removed from the locus of the **bees**. The present invention is also directed to methods and compns. which include 2-heptanone to control hive invading pests of honey **bees**.

ST **honeybee Varroa** acaricide insecticide attractant hive pest heptanone

IT Achroia grisella

Aethina tumida

Galleria mellonella

Tropilaelaps

(compns. for control in honey **bee** hive of)

IT **Varroa**

(compns. for control of)

IT Acaricides

**Honeybee**

Insect attractants

Insecticides

Pesticide formulations

(compns. for control of parasitic **mites** of honey **bees**  
and other hive pests)

IT Pesticides

on 14 US 6051612 +  
6217891 cited  
↓  
Bark beetle.

NOT  
relev.

(controlled-release; for control of parasitic **mites** of honey **bees** and other hive pests)

IT Attractants  
(**mite**; compns. for control of parasitic **mites** of honey **bees** and other hive pests)

IT Pesticides  
(slow release; for control of parasitic **mites** of honey **bees** and other hive pests)

IT 67-64-1, Acetone, biological studies 100-52-7, Benzaldehyde, biological studies 105-54-4, Ethyl butyrate 106-35-4, 3-Heptanone 110-43-0, 2-Heptanone 111-13-7, 2-Octanone 111-70-6, 1-Heptanol 111-71-7, Heptaldehyde 123-19-3, 4-Heptanone 591-78-6, 2-Hexanone 5989-27-5  
RL: BSU (Biological study, unclassified); BUU (Biological use, unclassified); BIOL (Biological study); USES (Uses)  
(compns. for control of parasitic **mites** of honey **bees** and other hive pests, contg.)

IT 7534-94-3, Isobornyl methacrylate 42978-66-5, Tripropyleneglycol diacrylate  
RL: MOA (Modifier or additive use); USES (Uses)  
(in compns. for control of parasitic **mites** of honey **bees** and other hive pests)

L19 ANSWER 2 OF 5 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS  
AN 1997:768417 CAPLUS  
DN 128:19694  
TI Toxicity of seven monoterpenoids to tracheal **mites** (Acari: Tarsonemidae) and their honey **bee** (Hymenoptera: Apidae) hosts when applied as fumigants  
AU Ellis, Marion D.; Baxendale, Frederick P.  
CS Department of Entomology, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, NE, 68583-0816, USA  
SO Journal of Economic Entomology (1997), 90(5), 1087-1091  
CODEN: JEENAI; ISSN: 0022-0493  
PB Entomological Society of America  
DT Journal  
LA English  
TI Toxicity of seven monoterpenoids to tracheal **mites** (Acari: Tarsonemidae) and their honey **bee** (Hymenoptera: Apidae) hosts when applied as fumigants  
AB Lab. bioassays were conducted to characterize the acute toxicity of 7 monoterpenoids to tracheal **mites**, *Acarapis woodi* (Rennie), and their honey **bee**, *Apis mellifera* L., hosts. Citral, thymol, carvacrol, .alpha.-terpineol, pulegone, d-limonene, and menthol were applied as fumigants to **mite**-infested honey **bees**. Thymol and menthol were the most toxic compds. to honey **bees**, and .alpha.-terpineol was the least toxic. Menthol, citral, thymol, and carvacrol were more toxic to tracheal **mites** than to honey **bees**. Pulegone, d-limonene, and .alpha.-terpineol were more toxic to honey **bees** than to tracheal **mites**. Menthol was 18.9 times more toxic to tracheal **mites** than to honey **bees** at the LC50 concns.; however, as the concn. increased, **bee** mortality increased more rapidly than **mite** mortality, and menthol was only 5.7 times more toxic at the LC90 concns. Probit regressions for **bee** and **mite** mortality were parallel for citral and thymol. Citral and thymol were 2.9 (2.5-3.3) and 2.0 (1.0-3.6) times more toxic to tracheal **mites**, resp., at all concns. estd.  
ST terpene fumigant **mite** honey **bee**; *Acarapis* *Apis* terpene fumigant  
IT Insecticides  
Insecticides  
(fumigants; toxicity of monoterpenoids to tracheal **mites** and

their honey **bee** hosts when applied as fumigants)

IT Fumigants  
Fumigants  
(insecticidal; toxicity of monoterpenoids to tracheal **mites**  
and their honey **bee** hosts when applied as fumigants)

IT **Acarapis woodi**  
**Honeybee**  
(toxicity of monoterpenoids to tracheal **mites** and their honey  
**bee** hosts when applied as fumigants)

IT Terpenes, biological studies  
RL: BAC (Biological activity or effector, except adverse); BSU (Biological  
study, unclassified); BIOL (Biological study)  
(toxicity of monoterpenoids to tracheal **mites** and their honey  
**bee** hosts when applied as fumigants)

IT 89-78-1, Menthol 89-82-7, Pulegone 89-83-8, Thymol 98-55-5,  
.alpha.-Terpineol 499-75-2, Carvacrol 5392-40-5, Citral  
5989-27-5  
RL: BAC (Biological activity or effector, except adverse); BSU (Biological  
study, unclassified); BIOL (Biological study)  
(toxicity of monoterpenoids to tracheal **mites** and their honey  
**bee** hosts when applied as fumigants)

L19 ANSWER 3 OF 5 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS  
AN 1991:449168 CAPLUS  
DN 115:49168  
TI Direct formation and subsequent substitution of remote  
ketone-functionalized organocopper reagents  
AU Ebert, Greg W.; Klein, Walter R.  
CS Coll. Buffalo, State Univ. New York, Buffalo, NY, 14222, USA  
SO Journal of Organic Chemistry (1991), 56(15), 4744-7  
CODEN: JOCEAH; ISSN: 0022-3263  
DT Journal  
LA English  
OS CASREACT 115:49168  
AB Remote ketone-functionalized aryl- and alkylcopper reagents were  
synthesized by the use of a highly activated form of zero-valent copper.  
5-Bromo-2-pentanone and 4-iodobenzophenone undergo oxidative addn. with  
activated copper to form 5-cuprio-2-pentanone and 4-cupriobenzophenone,  
resp. These, in turn, can be cross-coupled with alkyl halides to produce  
the corresponding alkylated ketones and with acid chlorides to form the  
corresponding diketones. By use of this methodol., a two-step, one-pot  
synthesis of Me (E)-9-oxo-2-decenoate and 8-nonen-2-one were achieved.  
The former compd. is the Me ester of the "queen substance" of the honey  
**bee**, and the latter is part of an "attractant mixt." for cheese  
**mites** found in cheddar cheese. These syntheses were accomplished  
by converting com. available 6-bromo-2-hexanone to 6-cuprio-2-hexanone  
followed by cross-coupling with com. available Me 4-bromocrotonate and  
allyl bromide, resp.

ST pheromone honey **bee** cheese **mite**; copper reagent prepn  
coupling; oxidn addn bromopentanone iodobenzophenone organocopper; halide  
cross coupling cupriopentanone cupriobenzophenone; oxodecenoate honey  
**bee** substance prepn; nonenone cheese **mite** attractant  
prepn; copper reaction bromohexenone; cupriohexenone coupling  
bromocrotonate allyl bromide

IT 1189-64-6P  
RL: SPN (Synthetic preparation); PREP (Preparation)  
(prepn. of, as component of cheese **mite** attractant mixt.)

IT 5009-32-5P, 8-Nonen-2-one  
RL: SPN (Synthetic preparation); PREP (Preparation)  
(prepn. of, as component of honey **bee** "queen substance")

IT 591-78-6P, 2-Hexanone 821-55-6P, 2-Nonanone 3664-60-6P,  
7-Octen-2-one 14171-89-2P 16538-91-3P, 2,9-Decanedione  
RL: SPN (Synthetic preparation); PREP (Preparation)  
(prepn. of, from cupriopentanone)

L19 ANSWER 4 OF 5 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS

AN 1990:174103 CAPLUS

DN 112:174103

TI Synergistic varroicide aerosol containing acetone for **honeybee** colonies

IN Vesely, Vladimir; Titera, Dalibor; Kamler, Frantisek

PA Czech.

SO Czech., 2 pp.

CODEN: CZXXA9

DT Patent

LA Czech

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PI	CS 261124	B1	19890112	CS 1986-9452	19861217
PRAI	CS 1986-9452		19861217		
TI	Synergistic varroicide aerosol containing acetone for <b>honeybee</b> colonies				
AB	A synergistic compn. for protection of <b>honeybees</b> against <b>mites</b> (Varroidae) comprises acaricide 1 and Me <sub>2</sub> CO 50-5000 parts. The compn. is used as an aerosol for <b>bee</b> colonies.				
ST	<b>honeybee</b> acaricide acetone synergism; Varroidae <b>honeybee</b> acaricide acetone mixt				
IT	Varroidae				
	(protection of <b>honeybees</b> from, acetone-acaricide mixts. for)				
IT	<b>Honeybee</b>				
	(synergistic acaricides for, acetone-acaricide mixts. as, for protection from Varroidae)				
IT	Acaricides				
	(synergistic, mixts. with acetone, for protection of <b>honeybees</b> from Varroidae)				
IT	126450-41-7	126450-42-8			
	RL: BIOL (Biological study)				
	(for protection of <b>honeybees</b> from Varroidae, synergistic)				
IT	67-64-1D, Acetone, mixts. with acaricides				
	RL: BIOL (Biological study)				
	(synergistic, for protection of <b>honeybees</b> from Varroidae)				

L19 ANSWER 5 OF 5 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS

AN 1955:6053 CAPLUS

DN 49:6053

OREF 49:1270e-g

TI Capability of resistance of the internal **mite** of **honeybees** and its possible control

AU Kaeser, W.

CS Tierhyg. Inst., Freiburg i. Br., Germany

SO Zeitschrift fuer Bienenforschung (1952), 1, 191-216

CODEN: ZBIEAU; ISSN: 0044-2399

DT Journal

LA Unavailable

TI Capability of resistance of the internal **mite** of **honeybees** and its possible control

AB cf. following abstr. **Honeybees** infested with the **mite** *Acarapis woodi* were fed various concns. of NaCl, MgCl<sub>2</sub>, Na<sub>2</sub>HPO<sub>4</sub>, CuSO<sub>4</sub>, Na<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>, colloidal S, mustard oil (I), thymol (satd. aq. soln.) (II), terpineol (III), urea, glycocoll, cysteine-HCl, tyrosine, acetylcholine, or one of 27 com. prepns. The **bees** were also exposed to the vapors of safrole, PhNO<sub>2</sub>, gasoline, wintergreen oil, I, II, III, cryst. thymol, KCN (satd. aq. soln.), CH<sub>2</sub>:CHCN, Me<sub>2</sub>CO, or one of 5 com. prepns. In no case could the **mites** be killed without also killing the **bees**; I and III were particularly active against both **bees** and **mites**. Vapors of the Belgian com. prepn. "P.K." and of the German com. prepn. "Delacan" (compns. not given) rapidly killed the

mites without appreciably affecting the bees.

IT **Acarapis woodi** and(or) Acarine disease mite  
 (control of)

IT Insecticides  
 (for acarine disease of bees)

IT Gasoline  
 PK  
 (in **Acarapis woodi** control on bees)

IT Oils  
 Oils  
 (mustard, in **Acarapis woodi** control on bees)

IT Oils  
 (wintergreen, in **Acarapis woodi** control on bees)

IT Delacan  
 (in **Acarapis woodi** control in bees)

IT Cysteine, hydrochloride  
 Tyrosine  
 (in **Acarapis woodi** control on bees)

IT 107-13-1, Acrylonitrile  
 (as fumigant, in **Acarapis woodi** control on bees)

IT 7704-34-9, Sulfur  
 (colloidal, in **Acarapis woodi** control on bees).

IT 51-84-3, Choline, acetyl- 56-40-6, Glycine 57-13-6, Urea  
 67-64-1, Acetone 89-83-8, Thymol 94-59-7, Safrole 98-95-3,  
 Benzene, nitro- 7558-79-4, Sodium phosphate, Na<sub>2</sub>HPO<sub>4</sub> 7647-14-5, Sodium  
 chloride 7758-98-7, Copper sulfate 7772-98-7, Sodium thiosulfate  
 7786-30-3, Magnesium chloride 8000-41-7, Terpeneol  
 (in **Acarapis woodi** control on bees)

IT 151-50-8, Potassium cyanide  
 (in **Acarapis woodi** control on bees)

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L27 ANSWER 1 OF 17 CROPU COPYRIGHT 2003 THOMSON DERWENT  
AN 2003-80724 CROPU C G I  
TI Method useful in the control of parasitic **mites** and hive  
invading pests of honey **bees**, comprises application of a  
specified ketone, **1-heptanol**, **ethyl**  
**butyrate**, **benzaldehyde**, **heptaldehyde** or  
**d-limonene**.  
IN Erickson E H; Degrandi-Hoffman G; Becker C G; Whitson R S; Deeby T A  
PA US-Sec.Army; Cerexagri  
LO King of Prussia, Pa., USA  
PI WO 2002067914 A1 20020906  
AI US 2001-272097P 20010228  
US 2002-272097 20020227  
WO 2002-US5986 20020228  
DT Patent  
LA English  
OS WPI: 2002-740718  
FA AB; IA; CT  
TI Method useful in the control of parasitic **mites** and hive  
invading pests of honey **bees**, comprises application of a  
specified ketone, **1-heptanol**, **ethyl**  
**butyrate**, **benzaldehyde**, **heptaldehyde** or  
**d-limonene**.  
AB A method of controlling parasitic **mites** of honey **bees**  
(**Apis mellifera**) is claimed, comprising application of a  
specified ketone (I: especially **2-heptanone** (2H)),  
**1-heptanol**, **ethyl butyrate**,  
**benzaldehyde**, **heptaldehyde** or **d-**  
**limonene**. A typical formulation was a slow-release oil-gelled  
composition containing 10% 2H and 90% gelled mineral oil (Versagel C HP).  
In an example, **mites** (**Varroa jacobsoni**) were placed  
in petri dishes containing 40 ul 2H in the lid; fluvalinate (Apistan) was  
used as comparison. Within 2 hr, the **mites** were all dead,  
while no mortality was seen in controls. The composition had no ill  
effect on **bees** (composition of queen's court, oviposition). It  
is also claimed to be useful for controlling hive invading pests,  
especially greater wax moth (**Galleria mellonella**), lesser wax moth  
(**Achroia grisella**), small hive beetle (**Aethina tunida**), ants or  
**Tropilaelaps**.  
ABEX In (I):  $y = 0$  and  $x = 0-5$ ; or  $y = 1$  and  $x = 3$ ; or  $y = 2$  and  $x = 2$ .  
Also claimed are: an acaricidal composition for controlling parasitic  
**mites** of honey **bees** comprising a dispenser which  
provides the active compound; an attractant composition for attracting  
parasitic **mites** of honey **bees** comprising a dispenser  
providing 2H; a trapping system for controlling parasitic **mites**  
of honey **bees** comprising a trap and a dispenser containing 2H;  
and a composition for controlling hive invading pests of honey  
**bees** comprising a dispenser containing 2H. The agent either  
kills **mites**, incapacitates them (such as disrupting neural or  
other physiological functions to prevent essential **mite**  
functions or reproduction), or renders them sufficiently impaired to be  
trapped, drowned, isolated or otherwise removed from an area. 2H also  
acts as an attractant for **Varroa mites**.  
CT HEPTANONE-2 \*TR; VARROA \*TR; JACOBSONI \*TR; BEE \*TR  
; VARROIDAE \*TR; ACARINA \*TR; FLUVALINATE \*RC; TAU-FLUVALINATE \*RC;  
APISTAN \*RC; HEPTANON2 \*RN; ACARICIDE \*FT; ACARICIDES \*FT; OIL \*FT;  
GEL \*FT; COMB.ADDITIVE \*FT; VERSAGEL-C-HP \*FT; BIOASSAY \*FT; DOSAGE  
\*FT; IN-VITRO \*FT; FORMULATION \*FT; ALARM-PHEROMONES \*FT;  
INSECT-REPELLENTS \*FT; PLANT-GROWTH-INHIBITORS \*FT; TR \*FT

L27 ANSWER 2 OF 17 CROPU COPYRIGHT 2003 THOMSON DERWENT  
AN 2001-85479 CROPU I G

TI Protecting beneficial insects, especially **bees**, from damage caused by parasitic **mites** comprises applying tebufenpyrad to the insects or their brood chamber or habitat.

IN Black B C; Baumbach W R; Beluch M P

PA Am.Cyanamid

LO Yardley, Pa., Hopewell; Bell Mead, N.Y., USA

PI US 6204283 BI 20010320

AI US 1998-92773 19980714

US 1999-351222 19990712

DT Patent

LA English

OS WPI: 2001-298906

FA LA; CT

TI Protecting beneficial insects, especially **bees**, from damage caused by parasitic **mites** comprises applying tebufenpyrad to the insects or their brood chamber or habitat.

AB A method for control of parasitic **mites** on **honeybees** is described, which consists of the application of an effective amount of tebufenpyrad. **Honeybees** from a colony 70-90% infected by *V. jacobsoni* were treated topically with a droplet of **acetone** containing 0.6, 0.06 or 0.006 ug tebufenpyrad; after 5 d, mortality of treated **bees** was 24-28%, while **mite** mortality was 44-92%. **Bee** tracheae infested with *Acarapis woodi* were placed on glass slides which were dipped into **acetone** containing 500 ppm tebufenpyrad; time to 100% mortality was 8-10 min. In a field test, 2 hives infested with *V. jacobsoni* were treated with 2 strips (2.5 x 17 cm), each containing 18% tebufenpyrad in a 60:40 beeswax/lard (Crisco) mix, inserted into the brood chamber, and **mite** infestation was monitored using sticky boards. Number of **mites** caught per day was 66-101 before and 1080-1777 after treatment. (No EX).

CT TEBUFENPYRAD \*TR; TEBUFENPYRAD \*SE; APIDAE \*SE; APIS \*SE; MELLIFERA \*SE; BEE \*SE; ACARAPIS \*TR; WOODI \*TR; VARROA \*TR; JACOBSONI \*TR; HYMENOPTERA \*SE; TARSONEMIDAE \*TR; ACARINA \*TR; MK-239 \*RN; ACARICIDE \*FT; TOPICAL \*FT; DOSAGE \*FT; SURVIVAL \*FT; NON-TARGET \*FT; LAB.TEST \*FT; HIVE \*FT; FIELD \*FT; N.Y. \*FT; APPL. TECHNIQUE \*FT; USA \*FT; AREA-AMERICA \*FT; ACARICIDES \*FT; INSECTICIDES \*FT; TR \*FT; SE \*FT

L27 ANSWER 3 OF 17 CABA COPYRIGHT 2003 CABI

AN 2002:47656 CABA

DN 20013180284

TI Resistance of the honey **bee**, *Apis mellifera* to the acarian parasite **Varroa** destructor: behavioural and electroantennographic data

AU Martin, C.; Provost, E.; Roux, M.; Bruchou, C.; Crauser, D.; Clement, J. L.; Conte, Y. le; le Conte, Y.

CS Institut National de la Recherche Agronomique, Laboratoire de Biologie et Protection de abeille, Unite de Zoologie-Apidologie, Avignon, France.

SO Physiological Entomology, (2001) Vol. 26, No. 4, pp. 362-370. 24 ref. ISSN: 0307-6962

DT Journal

LA English

TI Resistance of the honey **bee**, *Apis mellifera* to the acarian parasite **Varroa** destructor: behavioural and electroantennographic data.

AB One way in which *A. mellifera* honey **bees** resist *V. destructor* (collected from Avignon, France) is by detection and elimination of nestmates. This study uses behavioural tests and electroantennography to assess the role of chemostimuli in recognition by honey **bees** of this acarian ectoparasite. Behavioural tests using living or dead parasites involved observation of honey **bee** grooming activity (antennation) under controlled conditions in Petri dishes, and removal behaviour (uncapping and elimination of parasitized and unparasitized



control brood cells) under natural conditions. Some **bees** from colonies with both small and large parasite populations showed aggressive behaviour (biting). No difference was observed according to whether the **mite** was dead or alive. Under natural conditions, **bees** uncapped more parasitized cells than control cells. Electroantennographic tests were performed to measure sensitivity to various **Varroa** extracts at three concentrations (10, 20 and 30 **Varroa** equivalents). Only 30 **Varroa** equivalent methanol extracts made from **Varroa** collected from brood cells elicited significantly greater antennal response than controls (pure solvent). All three methanol extracts elicited significantly greater antennal response than controls. No response was observed using **Varroa** extracts made with **acetone** or hexane. These findings suggest that polar products may act as chemostimuli for recognition of *V. destructor* by honey **bees**. Further study will be necessary to determine which polar products are involved in this recognition and assess grooming and removal behaviour using these products.

BT **Apis**; Apidae; Hymenoptera; insects; arthropods; invertebrates; animals; Western Europe; Europe; Mediterranean Region; Developed Countries; European Union Countries; OECD Countries; Varroidae; Mesostigmata; **mites**; Acari; Arachnida

ST **Varroa destructor**

ORGN **Apis mellifera**; **Varroa**

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AN 2001:72027 CABA

DN 20013063807

TI Semiochemicals from larval food affect the locomotory behaviour of **Varroa destructor**

AU Nazzi, F.; Milani, N.; Della Vedova, G.; Nimis, M.

CS Dipartimento di Biologia applicata alla Difesa delle Piante, Universita di Udine, via delle Scienze 208, 33100 Udine, Italy.

SO Apidologie, (2001) Vol. 32, No. 2, pp. 149-155. 28 ref.  
ISSN: 0044-8435

DT Journal

LA English

SL German; French

TI Semiochemicals from larval food affect the locomotory behaviour of **Varroa destructor**.

AB The stimuli inducing cell invasion by *V. destructor* were studied using a bioassay in which a **mite** was observed in a glass arena with four wells, each containing a live **bee** (**Apis mellifera**) larva, treated or non-treated with the stimulus to be tested. Larval food collected from drone cells before capping elicited a strong response from *V. destructor*. Both ether and **acetone** extracts of larval food induced the same response as larval food itself suggesting the existence of semiochemicals attracting or arresting the **mite**.

BT **Apis**; Apidae; Hymenoptera; insects; arthropods; invertebrates; animals; Varroidae; Mesostigmata; **mites**; Acari; Arachnida

CT **acetone**; behaviour; cell invasion; ectoparasites; ether extracts; insect pests; larvae; locomotion; semiochemicals

ST **Varroa destructor**

RN 67-64-1

ORGN **Apis mellifera**; insects; **Varroa**

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AN 2000-90378 CROPU C G I

TI 4-Methoxy-2,3,5,6-tetrafluorobenzyl 3-(2,2-difluorovinyl) 2,2-dimethyl cyclopropanecarboxylate, useful as a pesticide.

IN Iwasaki T; Matsuo N

PA Sumitomo

LO Osaka, Jap.

PI WO 2000046178 A1 20000810

AI JP 1999-28891 19990205

WO 2000-JP28 20000106

DT Patent  
LA English  
OS WPI: 2000-524406  
FA AB; LA; CT; MPC  
AB A new difluorovinyl pyrethrin analog (I) is claimed as a pesticide. The compound was prepared as (1R), (1RS) and (1S) isomers, characterized by PMR data, and formulated e.g. as an emulsifiable concentrate containing 20% (wt) (I), 65% xylene and 15% Sorpol 3005X. In an example, (I) (0.002 vol%) in acetone (0.64 ml) was placed in an aluminum dish and was air dried. Ten female mosquitoes (*Culex pipiens pallens*) were placed in a cup covered with 16-mesh nylon, which was placed mesh side down onto the treated aluminum surface at 25 deg for 2 hr. The cup was then removed and the insects were fed and watered for 24 hr. The mortality after 24 hr was 100%. A comparable test with a prior art ester gave a 24 hr mortality rate of 35%. The knockdown rate (60 min) was 100%. The agent also showed activity against *Tineola bisselliella* in a polyethylene cup.  
ABEX The compound is claimed as a pesticide, insecticide, acaricide and insect repellent. It is claimed to kill, repel and control the spread of Lepidoptera (moths), Diptera (flies), Dictyoptera (cockroaches), Hymenoptera (ants, wasps and bees), Siphonaptera e.g. *Pulex irritans*, Anoplura (lice), Isoptera (termites), Acarina (mites and ticks), Hemiptera (aphids), Coleoptera (beetles and weevils), Thysanoptera (thrips) and Orthoptera (locusts). It is a more effective broad spectrum pesticide than other ester pesticides. (35)

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AN 2000-84096 CROPU I G

TI Method to control parasitic mites on beneficial insects e.g. Apidae.

IN Black B C; Baubach W R; Beluch M P

PA Am.Cyanamid

LO Madison, N.J., USA

PI EP 972448 A2 20000119

AI US 1998-115787 19980714

EP 1999-305410 19990707

DT Patent

LA English

OS WPI: 2000-099724

FA AB; LA; CT

TI Method to control parasitic mites on beneficial insects e.g. Apidae.

AB A method for the protection of beneficial insects, such as honeybees, from infestation and damage caused by parasitic mites, by application of tebufenpyrad (TEB) to the insects or mites, their brood chamber or habitat, is claimed. In acaricidal bioassays, honeybees infested with 70-90% *Varroa jacobsoni* received topical application of TEB (0.006, 0.06 and 0.6 ug/bee). Treated bees were placed in an incubator at 31 deg in the dark and fed a 50% sugar solution for 5 days; at 0.6 ug/bee, mortality rates for bees and mites were 28% and 92%, resp. Honeybees infested with *Acarapis woodi* were treated with 500 ppm TEB in acetone; 100% mite mortality occurred after 8-8.5 min. Field tests with two *V. jacobsoni* infested hives, sticky boards treated with 18% TEB in beeswax/lard base were placed in the hives; one day after treatment, mite counts of 1777 and 1080 mites/day were recorded.

ABEX The method is claimed especially for the control of parasitic mites, such as, *V. jacobsoni*, *A. woodi* and *Tropilaelaps clareae*. The claimed advantage is that the method can be used with little or no concomitant harm to the beneficial host. (4)

CT TEBUFENPYRAD \*TR; BEE \*TR; APIS \*TR; APIDAE \*TR;  
VARROA \*TR; JACOBSONI \*TR; ACARAPIS \*TR; WOODI \*TR;  
HYMENOPTERA \*TR; TARSONEMIDAE \*TR; ACARINA \*TR; MK-239 \*RN; ACARICIDE

\*FT; TOPICAL \*FT; DOSAGE \*FT; BIOASSAY \*FT; FORMULATION \*FT; WAX \*FT;  
 LARD \*FT; STICKY \*FT; BOARD \*FT; HIVE \*FT; APPL. TECHNIQUE \*FT; FOOD  
 \*FT; ACARICIDES \*FT; INSECTICIDES \*FT; TR \*FT

- L27 ANSWER 7 OF 17 CABA COPYRIGHT 2003 CABI  
 AN 2001:92646 CABA  
 DN 20013082193  
 TI Evaluation of grapefruit essential oils for controlling *Varroa jacobsoni* and *Acarapis woodi*  
 AU Elzen, P. J.; Baxter, J. R.; Elzen, G. W.; Rivera, R.; Wilson, W. T.  
 CS Kika de la Garza Subtropical Agricultural Research Center, USDA-ARS, 2413 E. Hwy. 83, Weslaco, TX 78596, USA.  
 SO American Bee Journal, (2000) Vol. 140, No. 8, pp. 666-668. 10 ref.  
 ISSN: 0002-7626  
 DT Journal  
 LA English  
 TI Evaluation of grapefruit essential oils for controlling *Varroa jacobsoni* and *Acarapis woodi*.  
 AB Four essential oils found in Citrus leaves - citral, limonene, citronellal, and linalool - were tested in the laboratory for effectiveness in knocking down *V. jacobsoni* mites from infested honey bees. Citral was the most effective, with 72.8% knockdown of mites from infested bees exposed to this compound. Only 7.9% initial knockdown of varroa mites was observed in the field test of citral, not significantly different from initial control mite drop. Total population change after 6 weeks of exposure between citral and control treatments was also not significantly different, with great increases in mite populations seen in the citral and control hives. Citral was more effective, however, in controlling the tracheal mite, *A. woodi*, resulting in a 66.8% reduction in populations after initial treatment. Discussion is presented on the use of natural essential oils in the control of honey bee acarine pests.  
 BT *Acarapis*; Acarapidae; Prostigmata; mites; Acari; Arachnida; arthropods; invertebrates; animals; Rutaceae; Sapindales; dicotyledons; angiosperms; Spermatophyta; plants; *Apis*; Apidae; Hymenoptera; insects; *Varroa*; Varroidae; Mesostigmata; Citrus  
 CT citral; control; essential oils; grapefruits; honey bees; leaves; limonene; linalool; mite control  
 ORGN *Acarapis woodi*; Citrus; Citrus paradisi; mites; *Varroa jacobsoni*
- L27 ANSWER 8 OF 17 CROPU COPYRIGHT 2003 THOMSON DERWENT  
 AN 2000-83996 CROPU I G  
 TI Laboratory evaluation of miticides to control *Varroa jacobsoni* (Acari: Varroidae), a honey bee (Hymenoptera: Apidae) parasite.  
 AU Lindberg C M; Melathopoulos A P; Winston M L  
 CS Univ.Simon-Fraser  
 LO Burnaby, B.C., Can.  
 SO J.Econ.Entomol. (93, No. 2, 189-98, 2000) 3 Fig. 4 Tab. 47 Ref.  
 CODEN: JEENAI  
 AV Department of Biological Sciences, Simon Fraser University, Burnaby, B.C., Canada V5A 1S6.  
 DT Journal  
 LA English  
 FA AB; LA; CT  
 TI Laboratory evaluation of miticides to control *Varroa jacobsoni* (Acari: Varroidae), a honey bee (Hymenoptera: Apidae) parasite.  
 AB Essential oil components was screened for selectivity and control of *Varroa jacobsoni* on honeybees (*Apis mellifera*), using a dish bioassay method, and mite and bee LD50s were determined after 24, 34 and 67 hrs. Compounds were: alpha-terpineol, benzyl acetate, benzyl alcohol, camphor, carvacrol, cineole, cinnamic alcohol, cinnamic aldehyde, cinnamon oil,

citronellal, clove oil, eugenol, methanol (solvent), n-hexane, **limonene**, Magic3 (a proprietary mix of 5 essential oil components), menthol, methyl salicylate, phenyl ethyl alcohol, phenyl ethyl propionate, pulegone, terpinen-4-ol, thymol and trans-anethole, with tau-fluvalinate and formic acid as positive controls. Highest **mite** toxicity and lowest **bee** mortality were with clove oil, benzyl acetate, thymol, carvacrol, methyl salicylate and Magic 3, and thymol, clove oil and Magic3 were most active by vapor exposure. **Bees** and **mites** were confined in 60 x 20 mm petri dishes with a sugar-cube for food, and test components (dissolved in hexane) were applied to the dish base, allowing, vapor, contact and oral applications. In some tests, organisms were exposed to vapor only. Treatments considered to be selective killed over 70% of **mites** at doses which killed less than 30% of **bees**. The most selective treatment was tau-fluvalinate, while thymol, clove oil, Magic3 and methyl salicylate were at least as selective as formic acid. Estimated **mite** LD50s were significantly lower for complete exposure applications of thymol and Magic3 than for vapor applications, indicating that these compounds act mainly as fumigants, while estimated LD50s for clove oil were similar for both vapor and complete exposure.

ABEX

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ACARINA \*TR; VARROA \*TR; JACOBSONI \*TR; HYMENOPTERA \*SE;  
 APIDAE \*SE; APIS \*SE; MELLIFERA \*SE; BEE \*SE;  
 ACARICIDE \*FT; FUMIGANT \*FT; PLANT-OIL \*FT; COMB.PREP. \*FT; ESS. \*FT;  
 COMP. \*FT; DOSAGE \*FT; LD50 \*FT; SELECTIVE \*FT; BIOASSAY \*FT; EXPOSURE  
 \*FT; NON-TARGET \*FT; LAB.TEST \*FT; ACTION-MECHANISM \*FT;  
 TERPINEOL-ALPHA \*TR; TERPINEOL-ALPHA \*SE; TERPINEOA \*RN; TR \*FT; SE  
 \*FT; BENZYL-ACETATE \*TR; BENZYL-ACETATE \*SE; BENZYLACE \*RN;  
 INSECT-ATTRACTANTS \*FT; BENZYL-ALCOHOL \*TR; BENZYL-ALCOHOL \*SE;  
 BENZYLALC \*RN; SEX-PHEROMONES \*FT; CAMPHOR \*TR; CAMPHOR \*SE; CAMPHOR  
 \*RN; CARVACROL \*TR; CARVACROL \*SE; CARVACROL \*RN; DISINFECTANTS \*FT;  
 EUCALYPTOL \*TR; EUCALYPTOL \*SE; EUCALYPTO \*RN; INSECT-REPELLENTS \*FT;  
 FUNGICIDES \*FT; CINNAMYL-ALCOHOL \*TR; CINNAMYL-ALCOHOL \*SE; CINNAMALC  
 \*RN; PLANT-GROWTH-INHIBITORS \*FT; CINNAMIC-ALDEHYDE \*TR;  
 CINNAMIC-ALDEHYDE \*SE; CINNAMALD \*RN; CINNAMON-OIL \*TR; CINNAMON-OIL  
 \*SE; CINNAMOIL \*RN; CITRONELLAL \*TR; CITRONELLAL \*SE; CITRONEAL \*RN;  
 CLOVE-OIL \*TR; CLOVE-OIL \*SE; CLOVE-OIL \*RN; INSECTICIDES \*FT; EUGENOL  
 \*TR; EUGENOL \*SE; EUGENOL \*RN; METHYL-ALCOHOL \*TR; METHYL-ALCOHOL \*SE;  
 METHANOL \*RN; HEXANE \*TR; HEXANE \*SE; HEXANE \*RN; LIMONENE \*TR  
 ; LIMONENE \*SE; LIMONENE \*RN; MENTHOL \*TR; MENTHOL  
 \*SE; MENTHOL \*RN; METHYL-SALICYLATE \*TR; METHYL-SALICYLATE \*SE;  
 MESALICYL \*RN; PHENETHYL-ALCOHOL \*TR; PHENETHYL-ALCOHOL \*SE; PHENETHOL  
 \*RN; PHENETHYL-PROPIONATE \*TR; PHENETHYL-PROPIONATE \*SE; PHENETPRO  
 \*RN; PULEGONE \*TR; PULEGONE \*SE; PULEGONE \*RN; TERPINEOL-4 \*TR;  
 TERPINEOL-4 \*SE; TPINENOL4 \*RN; AGGREGATION-PHEROMONES \*FT; THYMOL  
 \*TR; THYMOL \*SE; THYMOL \*RN; ANETHOLE-TRANS \*TR; ANETHOLE-TRANS \*SE;  
 ANETHOLET \*RN; MAGIC-3 \*TR; MAGIC-3 \*SE; TAU-FLUVALINATE \*TR;  
 TAU-FLUVALINATE \*SE; FLUVALIND \*RN; ACARICIDES \*FT; FORMATE \*TR;  
 FORMATE \*SE; FORMATE \*RN; ALARM-PHEROMONES \*FT

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AN 1998-83064 CROPU I G

TI Controlling infestations in honey **bee** colonies e.g.  
**Varroa mites** using slow release gel containing  
 essential oil or organic acid e.g. thymol.

IN Watkins M

PA Vita-Euro

LO Odiham, U.K.

PI WO 9747193 A1 19971218

AI GB 1996-12403 19960613

WO 1997-EP3078 19970612

DT Patent

LA English

OS WPI: 1998-051935 [05]

FA AB; LA; CT

TI Controlling infestations in honey **be** colonies e.g. **Varroa mites** using slow release gel containing essential oil or organic acid e.g. thymol.

AB A method for control of acarid, lepidopteran, fungal or bacterial infestations in **honeybee** colonies (especially **Varroa jacobsoni**) is described, using a slow release gel, containing an essential oil (preferably menthol, geraniol, thymol, myrcene, citral, **limonene**, carene, camphor, eugenol, cineole, lemon oil, eucalyptus oil or neem oil, especially thymol) or organic acid (e.g. formic, acetic or oxalic acid), to the hives. The slow release gel is also claimed. The gel is in a shallow tray dispenser with a hermetically sealing lid or in strips, pellets, tablets or dispenser trays, and is used for a 4-6 week treatment period. Preparation of formulations of thymol, camphor, calcium oxalate, cineole (eucalyptol), **limonene**, menthol, neem oil, acetic acid and formic acid. Tests with a 25% thymol formulation, at 1 or 2 trays/hive, for control of *V. jacobsoni* are also described.

ABEX The method is also useful for control of **Acarapis woodii**, *Tropilaelaps clareae*, *Galleria mellonella*, *Achroia grisella*, *Braula caeca*, *Ascosphaera apis*, *Bacillus* larvae and *Melissococcus pluton*, and is effective against both pyrethroid-resistant and susceptible *V. jacobsoni*. The concentration of oil or acid is chosen to reduce the level of **Varroa** infection to less than 20% over at least one mite reproductive cycle. The formulation comprises a regulated dose release of active substance into the hive over a set period of time, at 10-40 deg. The thymol preparation described consisted of 0.38 parts Carbopol EZ1 dissolved in 73.86 parts water, followed by 0.76 parts thymol, then 0.76 parts triethanolamine, to form a gel. Shallow plastic trays are filled with 50 g portions of the gel, then hermetically sealed. Similar formulations containing thymol (10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35 or 40%), camphor (25%) and calcium oxalate (25%) are described, also suspensions containing cineole (25%), **limonene** (25%), menthol (25%), neem oil (25%), acetic acid (30%) and formic acid (25%). In tests with the 25% thymol gel, 1 or 2 trays, each containing 50 g gel, were opened and placed in a hive, on top of the brood frames, for 6 weeks. Average temperature was 33-34 deg inside the hive and 17-35 deg outside. After 6 weeks, *V. jacobsoni* infestation was reduced by 48.3% with 1 tray, 77.2% with 2 trays, and 12.9% in the untreated control. (16

CT ACARINA \*TR; **VARROA** \*TR; JACOBSONI \*TR; **BEE** \*TR; APIDAE \*TR; HYMENOPTERA \*TR; **APIS** \*TR; MELLIFERA \*TR; ACARINA \*OC; **ACARAPIS** \*OC; WOODII \*OC; TROPILAEALAPS \*OC; CLAREAE \*OC; GALLERIA \*OC; MELLONELLA \*OC; ACHROIA \*OC; GRISSELLA \*OC; BRAULA \*OC; CAECA \*OC; ASCOSPHAERA \*OC; **APIS** \*OC; BACILLUS \*OC; LARVAE \*OC; MELISSOCOCCUS \*OC; PLUTON \*OC; PYRALIDAE \*OC; LEPIDOPTERA \*OC; ASCOSPHAERALES \*OC; ASCOMYCOTINA \*OC; EUBACTERIALES \*OC; BACTERIUM \*OC; ACARICIDE \*FT; FUMIGANT \*FT; CONTROLLED-RELEASE \*FT; GEL \*FT; DOSAGE \*FT; DURATION \*FT; PERSISTENCE \*FT; COMB.ADDITIVE \*FT; COMP. \*FT; TEMPERATURE \*FT; HIVE \*FT; CARBOPOL-EZ1 \*FT; TRIETHANOLAMINE \*FT; ACTION-MECHANISM \*FT; FORMULATION \*FT; THYMOL \*TR; THYMOL \*OC; THYMOL \*RN; FUNGICIDES \*FT; TR \*FT; OC \*FT; EUCALYPTOL \*OC; EUCALYPTO \*RN; INSECT-REPELLENTS \*FT; DISINFECTANTS \*FT; CAMPHOR \*OC; CAMPHOR \*RN; OXALATE \*OC; OXALATE \*RN; **LIMONENE** \*OC; **LIMONENE** \*RN; MENTHOL \*OC; MENTHOL \*RN; NEEM-OIL \*OC; NEEM-OIL \*RN; ACETATE \*OC; ACETATE \*RN; FORMATE \*OC; FORMATE \*RN; ALARM-PHEROMONES \*FT

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AN 1998:17197 CABA

DN 981100478

TI Toxicity of seven monoterpenoids to tracheal **mites** (Acari: Tarsonemidae) and their honey **bee** (Hymenoptera: Apidae) hosts when applied as fumigants

AU Ellis, M. D.; Baxendale, F. P.

CS Department of Entomology, University of Nebraska, 202 Plant Industries Building, Lincoln, NE 68583-0816, USA.

SO Journal of Economic Entomology, (1997) Vol. 90, No. 5, pp. 1087-1091. 34 ref.  
ISSN: 0022-0493

DT Journal

LA English

TI Toxicity of seven monoterpenoids to tracheal **mites** (Acari: Tarsonemidae) and their honey **bee** (Hymenoptera: Apidae) hosts when applied as fumigants.

AB Laboratory bioassays were conducted to characterize the acute toxicity of 7 monoterpenoids to **Acarapis woodi** and its host **Apis mellifera**. Citral, thymol, carvacrol, alpha -terpineol, pulegone, **d-limonene**, and menthol were applied as fumigants to **mite**-infested honey **bees**. Thymol and menthol were the most toxic compounds to honey **bees**, and alpha -terpineol was the least toxic. Menthol, citral, thymol, and carvacrol were more toxic to tracheal **mites** than to honey **bees**. Pulegone, **d-limonene**, and alpha -terpineol were more toxic to honey **bees** than to tracheal **mites**. Menthol was 18.9 times more toxic to tracheal **mites** than to honey **bees** at the LC50 concentrations; however, as the concentration increased, **bee** mortality increased more rapidly than **mite** mortality, and menthol was only 5.7 times more toxic at the LC90 concentrations. Probit regressions for **bee** and **mite** mortality were parallel for citral and thymol. Citral and thymol were 2.9 (2.5-3.3) and 2.0 (1.0-3.6) times more toxic to tracheal **mites**, respectively, at all concentrations estimated.

BT **Acarapis**; Acarapidae; Prostigmata; **mites**; Acari; Arachnida; arthropods; invertebrates; animals; **Apis**; Apidae; Hymenoptera; insects

ST carvacrol; alpha-terpineol; pulegone; **d-limonene**

ORGN **Acarapis woodi**; **Apis mellifera**

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AN 96:455 CABA

DN 950201519

TI Methyl palmitate does not elicit invasion of honeybee brood cells by **Varroa mites**

AU Boot, W. J.

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SO Experimental & Applied Acarology, (1994) Vol. 18, No. 10, pp. 587-592. Bb. ISSN: 0168-8162

DT Journal

LA English

TI Methyl palmitate does not elicit invasion of honeybee brood cells by **Varroa mites**.

AB A special 'half-comb' with a transparent base was used in these trials so that worker brood cells could be inspected every 2 h for invasion by **mites**. Test cells were treated with 2 micro l of 10, 1 or 0.1% methyl palmitate in **acetone**, or with pure **acetone**. Numbers of **mites** invading treated cells were similar to those in untreated cells in all trials except one; in the 0-6 h preceding capping, cells treated with 0.1% methyl palmitate had more **mites** than control cells. Higher doses of methyl palmitate killed some or all larvae. It is concluded that this compound does not (as has been suggested) serve as an attractant to **mites**. Further, an unpublished analysis of volatiles from brood cells that attracted **mites** established that methyl palmitate was present as a trace in only 2 of 17 samples.

BT beneficial arthropods; arthropods; invertebrates; animals; beneficial organisms; insects; parasites; **Apis**; Apidae; Hymenoptera; **Varroa**; Varroidae; Mesostigmata; **mites**; Acari; Arachnida

CT beneficial insects; ectoparasites; pests; honey **bees**; honey

bee brood; invasion; larvae; esters  
ORGN *Apis mellifera*; *Varroa jacobsoni*

L27 ANSWER 12 OF 17 CROPU COPYRIGHT 2003 THOMSON DERWENT  
AN 1993-85470 CROPU I G  
TI Pear, Summer Control of Pear Psylla and Pear Rust **Mite**, 1992.  
AU Johnson J W; Wise J C  
LO Fennville, Mich., USA  
SO Insectic.Acaric.Tests (18, 62-63, 1993) 4 Tab.  
AV Department of Entomology, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI  
48824-1115, U.S.A.  
DT Journal  
LA English  
FA AB; LA; CT  
TI Pear, Summer Control of Pear Psylla and Pear Rust **Mite**, 1992.  
AB Bartlett pear trees were sprayed with the following treatments (rate/A)  
for control of *Cacopsylla* (*Psylla*) *pyricola* (Cp) and *Epitrimerus pyri*  
(Ep): Kelthane 35W (dicofol, 1.5 lb) applied on 6 May (white bud) and 14  
May (petal fall) followed by Mitac 1.5EC (amitraz; 1 gal) on 8 June (2nd  
cover) and 2 July (4th cover); Agri-Mek 0.15EC (avermectin-b1,  
20 oz) + Sun Ultra Fine Spray Oil (mineral oil, 1 gal) and Agri-  
**Mek** 0.15EC (10 oz) + M-Pede (insecticidal soap, 2% v/v) on 27 May  
(1st cover); and Danitol 2.4EC (fenpropathrin, 0.4 lb) and Kelthane 35WP  
(2.1 lb) on 6 May (white bud), 27 May (1st cover) and 22 June (3rd  
cover). Kelthane followed by Mitac provided the highest % of fruit free  
from Ep russetting and the highest control of Cp. Danitol plots had the  
highest incidence of sooty mold injury.  
ABEX All treatments were applied with an FMC 1029 airblast sprayer delivering  
10092 L/A of finished spray. Streptomycin, ferbam, **Bee**-scent  
and dodine were applied to all treatments separately. Cp and Ep counts  
were conducted on 20 May, 2, 9, 16 and 23 June, 2, 9, 15, 24 and 30 July,  
6, 13 and 21 Aug. At each evaluation, 200 leaves per treatment were  
picked and examined for Ep adults, and Cp nymphs and eggs. Fruits were  
harvest on 25 Aug, and examined for sooty mold and russetting.  
CT PEAR \*TR; PSYLLA \*TR; PYRICOLA \*TR; EPITRIMERUS \*TR; PYRI \*TR;  
POMACEOUS-FRUIT \*TR; FRUIT-CROP \*TR; CROP \*TR; PSYLLIDAE \*TR;  
HOMOPTERA \*TR; ERIOPHYIDAE \*TR; ACARINA \*TR; STREPTOMYCIN \*RC; DODINE  
\*RC; FERBAM \*RC; **BEE**-SCENT \*RC; FIELD \*FT; ORCHARD \*FT;  
MICH. \*FT; SPRAY \*FT; APPL.TIME \*FT; POPULATION-DENSITY \*FT; DECREASE  
\*FT; PERSISTENCE \*FT; DOSAGE \*FT; INSECTICIDE \*FT; ACARICIDE \*FT;  
NYMPH \*FT; EGG \*FT; ADULT \*FT; NO. \*FT; FRUIT \*FT; YIELD \*FT; QUALITY  
\*FT; DAMAGE \*FT; USA \*FT; AREA-AMERICA \*FT; APPL. TECHNIQUE \*FT; -  
ECOLOGY \*FT; PLANT-PART \*FT  
[03] AVERMECTIN-B1 \*TR; AGRI-**MEK** \*TR; AVERMEB1 \*RN; EMULSION \*FT;  
COVER \*FT; COMB. \*FT; FORMULATION \*FT; ANTIBIOTICS \*FT; INSECTICIDES  
\*FT; ACARICIDES \*FT; NEMATOCIDES \*FT; INSECT-CHEMOSTERILANTS \*FT; TR  
\*FT

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AN 92:125895 CABA  
DN 920232424  
TI Evaluation of botanical compounds for control of the honey-bee  
tracheal mite, *Acarapis woodi*  
AU Calderone, N. W.; Bruce, W. A.; Allen-Wardell, G.; Shimanuki, H.  
CS Bee Research Laboratory, ARS, USDA, Building 476, BARC-EAST, Beltsville,  
MD 20705, USA.  
SO American Bee Journal, (1991) Vol. 131, No. 9, pp. 589-591. Bj.  
ISSN: 0002-7626  
DT Journal  
LA English  
TI Evaluation of botanical compounds for control of the honey-bee  
tracheal mite, *Acarapis woodi*.  
AB Several compounds were tested in the laboratory on groups of workers from  
*Acarapis*-infested honey bee (*Apis mellifera*)

colonies. Clove oil killed 78.2% of **mites** and citronellal 63.4%; both mortalities were significantly higher than that (11.6%) in untreated controls. **D-limonene** killed nearly 30% of **mites**. In a second series of tests, the mortalities of **mites** treated by the following compounds were significantly higher than in controls (11.1%): alpha -terpinene (39.3%), terpineol (28.5%) and menthol (34.7%). Two of the compounds, alpha -pinene and alpha -terpinene, caused higher mortalities than in controls, but differences were not significant. All the plant-derived compounds (but alpha -pinene not reported) caused lower **bee** mortality than was caused by menthol.

BT animals; **Apis**; Apidae; Hymenoptera; insects; arthropods; invertebrates; pesticides; **Acarapis**; Acarapidae; Prostigmata; Acari; Arachnida  
 CT Pests; honey **bees**; control methods; Acaricides; Plant oils  
 ORGN **Acarapis** woodi

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 AN 1990-85449 CROPU I P G S  
 TI Essential Oils of Labiatae for Controlling Honey Bee Varroosis.  
 AU Colin M E  
 LO Montfavet, Fr.  
 SO J.Appl.Entomol. (110, No. 1, 19-25, 1990) 4 Tab. 18 Ref.  
 AV INRA Institut National de la Recherche Agronomique, Station de Recherches de Zoologie et d'Apidologie, Domaine St.-Paul-Cantarel, Route de Marseille, B.P. 91, F-84140 Montfavet, France.

DT Journal  
 LA English  
 FA AB; LA; CT; MPC  
 TI Essential Oils of Labiatae for Controlling Honey Bee Varroosis.  
 AB Essential oils from the plant family Labiatae were evaluated for control of varroosis (**Varroa jacobsoni**) in honey **bee** colonies. The essential oils evaluated were 1% thyme and 0.5% sage; the oils were applied as aerosols from an aqueous emulsion. The oils were compared with a treatment of amitraz (Taktic EC) 12.5%, which was also applied as an aerosol. The oils were applied 4 times at intervals of 3-4 days. The number of surviving **mites** was determined by a control treatment with fluvalinate. Total control efficiency for amitraz was 99%, compared with 95.4% for the essential oils. The results indicated that the essential oil treatments would only be efficient in practice on weakly infested colonies, with only a few mutilated individuals and a small brood area. Low residues in honey were determined just after treatment.

ABEX Samples of honey were taken just before and 2 hr after essential oil application, and were analyzed by sensory testing (expert panel) and by gas chromatography. The main components of white thyme essential oil were **limonene**, gamma terpene, para-cymene, camphor, caryophyllene, linalol, thymol and carvacrol; main components of sage oil were alpha pinene, camphene, beta pinene, myrcene, **limonene**, 1,8-cineol, alpha thujone, camphor, caryophyllene, bornyl acetate, humulene and borneol.

CT APIDAE \*TR; HYMENOPTERA \*TR; **APIS** \*TR; **BEE** \*TR;  
**VARROA** \*TR; JACOBSONI \*TR; ACARINA \*TR; FLUVALINATE \*RC;  
 ACARICIDE \*FT; EMULSION \*FT; AEROSOL \*FT; FIELD \*FT; FR. \*FT; REPEAT \*FT; FORMULATION \*FT; AREA-EUROPE \*FT; APPL.SCHEDULE \*FT

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 AN 89:2721 CABA  
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 TI Studies on the efficacy of coumaphos and amitraz used as systemic preparations for the control of **Varroa jacobsoni**  
 Badania nad przydatnosci kumafosu i amitrazu zastosowanych jako preparaty układowe do zwalczania inwazji V. jacobsoni  
 AU Kostecki, R.; Jedruszuk, A.  
 CS Zaklad Badania Chorob Owadow Uzytkowych, Inst. Weterynarii, ul. Poznanska



35, 62-020 Swarzedz, Poland.  
 SO Medycyna Weterynaryjna, (1987) Vol. 43, No. 4, pp. 230-233. Bc.  
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 DT Journal  
 LA Polish  
 SL English; Russian  
 TI [Studies on the efficacy of coumaphos and amitraz used as systemic preparations for the control of *Varroa jacobsoni*].  
 Badania nad przydatnosciq kumafosu i amitrazu zastosowanych jako preparaty układowe do zwalczania inwazji V. jacobsoni.  
 AB Substances similar to the systemic acaricide coumaphos were produced in Poland. Their solutions in **acetone**, with an emulsifier, contained 40 mg/ml of the active substance. The following substances were used: VJ-11, VJ-12, VJ-36, VJ-45, VJ-52, VJ-53, VJ-55, VJ-58, VJ-60, VJ-67 and amitraz. Coumaphos (VJ-44) was also used. Investigations on therapeutic efficacy and any side-effects were performed in autumn 1986. An aliquot of 1.0 ml of the tested chemical was added to 50 ml of water and the aqueous emulsion was uniformly applied to **bees** in the **bee-spaces**. Two applications at an interval of 7 days were used. The results confirmed the efficacy of coumaphos and amitraz for the control of *Varroa*. Similar results were also noted with VJ-45, VJ-52, VJ-53 and VJ-58. These substances appeared to be practically harmless to **bees**. Author.  
 BT animals; **Apis**; Apidae; Hymenoptera; insects; arthropods; invertebrates; organothiophosphate insecticides; organophosphorus insecticides; insecticides; pesticides; *Varroa*; Varroidae; Mesostigmata; Acari; Arachnida  
 CT Pests; **HONEY BEES**; control methods; Coumaphos  
 ORGN *Varroa jacobsoni*

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 AN 80:7557 CABA  
 DN 790209312  
 TI Chemical for controlling **honeybee** parasites  
 CS USSR, All-Union Scientific Research Institute of Veterinary Sanitation  
 PI 19780000  
 SO Japanese Kokai (unexamined patent application), No. 53-139722, pp. 7. B.  
 DT Patent  
 LA Japanese  
 TI Chemical for controlling **honeybee** parasites.  
 AB **Honeybee** diseases caused by *Acarapis woodi* and *Varroa jacobsoni* are controlled with N-methylcarbamates. Thus, 0.02% 1-naphthyl N-methylcarbamate in **acetone** controlled infestations of these **mites** in **honeybees**. [Chem.Abstr. 90 : 116454p (1979).] F. B. Wells  
 BT **Apis**; Apidae; Hymenoptera; insects; arthropods; invertebrates; animals; Acari; Arachnida  
 CT **honey bees**; control; natural enemies  
 ST **mite**; carbamates and derivatives  
 ORGN **mites**

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 AN 80:7345 CABA  
 DN 790209033  
 TI Acaricide preparations for the diagnosis and control of ectoparasites of **honeybees**  
 Akarizides Preparat zur Diagnostik und Bekämpfung von Ektoparasiten der Bienen  
 AU Poljakov, A. A.; and 9 others; Polyakov, A. A.  
 CS Vsesoyuznoi Nauchno-issledovatel'skii Inst. Veterinarnoi Sanitarii, Moscow, USSR.  
 PI 19780000  
 SO German Federal Republic Offenlegungsschrift, No. 2719722, pp. 16. B.  
 DT Patent

LA German  
TI [Acaricide preparations for the diagnosis and control of ectoparasites of honeybees].  
Akarizides Präparat zur Diagnostik und Bekämpfung von Ektoparasiten der Bienen.  
AB N-methylcarbamates control infestation of honeybees by *Acarapis woodi* and by *Varroa jacobsoni*. Thus, application to hives of a composition containing 0.025% by weight methyl-N-methylcarbamate, 19.975% acetone, and 80% difluorodichloromethane, completely controlled these mites. The compounds are also useful for diagnosis, since their application to infested bees led to the appearance of dead *V. jacobsoni* on the bottom of the hive. [Chem. Abstr. 90 : 49668w (1979).] F. B. Wells  
BT *Apis*; Apidae; Hymenoptera; insects; arthropods; invertebrates; animals; pesticides; Acari; Arachnida; *Varroa*; Varroidae; Mesostigmata; *Acarapis*; Acarapidae; Prostigmata  
CT honey bees; control; acaricides; natural enemies  
ST mite; carbamates and derivatives  
ORGN mites; *Varroa jacobsoni*; *Acarapis woodi*